

SILVER	\$1.00
QUICKSILVER	\$100
COPPER	18 1/2 @ 19c
LEAD	\$8.12 1/2

# WILSON MAY ACCEPT WET PLANK

## Plea for Liberal Interpretation of Prohibition Amendment

### PLANK ON SUFFRAGE CAUSES THE LEADERS TO EXPRESS ALARM

### TENNESSEE SUFFRAGE IN A SNARL

(By Associated Press) NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 24.—Suffrage called today when it was learned that Governor Roberts plans to call a special session of the legislature to act on the woman's suffrage amendment following the receipt of a telegram from President Wilson urging such action. The governor did not comment on the constitutionality of the action should the legislature approve. This hinges on a clause in the state constitution providing that action on the federal amendment must be taken by legislative members who have been elected after the amendment was submitted to the state. Members of the present legislature were elected prior to submission of the amendment.

(By Associated Press) SAN FRANCISCO, June 24.—Officials of the democratic national committee are considering today what sort of a plank on suffrage will be included in the platform. They are desirous of doing everything to complete ratification and it is only a question what means should be adopted. Ratification the members are assured is a foregone conclusion.

### CHICAGO RUBE GETS PINCHED

(By Associated Press) LOS ANGELES, June 24.—James E. Igou, from Chicago, motoring to the San Francisco convention was arrested today for traffic violations once for making the forbidden left hand turn and again for parking in front of a fire plug while calling on the mayor. The latter had the charges dismissed.

### TO YELLOWSTONE BY AIR ROUTE

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, June 24.—Miss Alice Paul, chairman of the woman's party said today that the decision to call a special session in Tennessee means certain victory as a recent canvass of both houses, she said, indicated a safe majority for ratification.

### THEY'RE COMING BACK HOME ONE AT A TIME

One day last week an automobile loaded with joyous spirits forced forth from Tonopah with the intention of making Reno the same evening to attend the meeting called for the purpose of organizing a State Old Association. The party included Dick Williams, Victor M. Place, Harry McNamara and P. C. Fiesler. After experiencing varied luck the machine finally limped into Gardnerville where it was found necessary to send to the market for parts. This consumed the better part of three days and when the fixtures arrived more time was consumed in attaching them to their respective parts of the car. Place grew tired of waiting and he returned by rail yesterday. Con Fiesler floated in this morning and some anxiety is expressed for the fate of McNamara and Williams who have not been heard from.

### STUTZ CHAIRMAN OUT OF EXCHANGE

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, June 24.—Allen F. Ryan, chairman of the Stutz Motor company, who became involved in a controversy with officers of the New York stock exchange at the time a corner existed in Stutz stock, was expelled from the exchange, it was announced today.

THE WEATHER

Local Observer United States

Weather Bureau:

Temperatures:	5 a. m.	Noon
Current	54	71
Wet bulb	40	46
Relative humidity	34	40
Maximum yesterday	53	87
Minimum yesterday	34	63

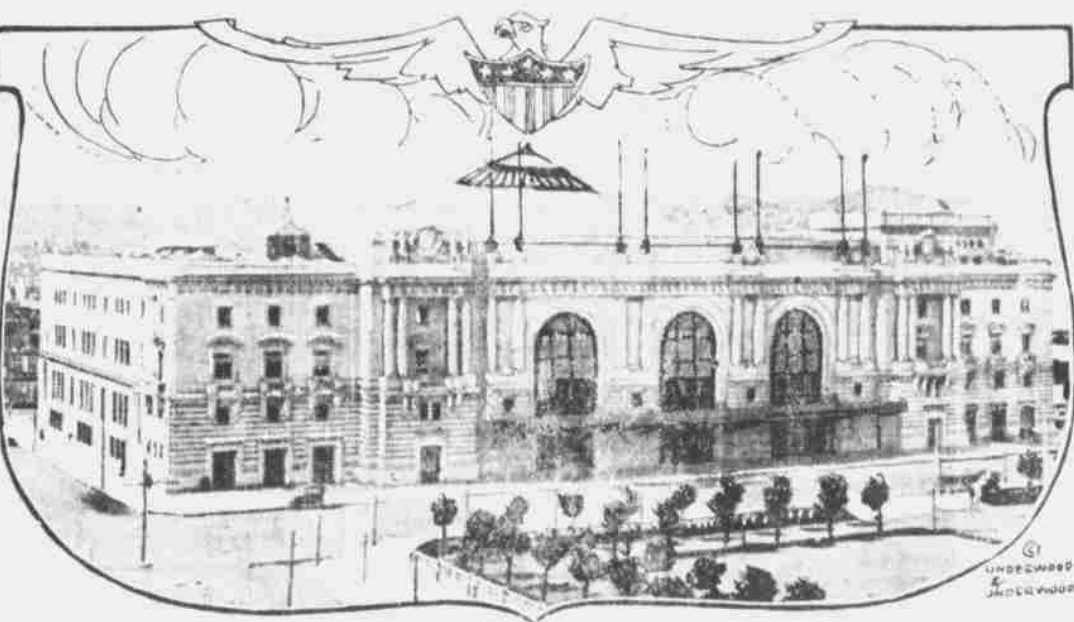
### LUMBER PRICES CUT

(By Associated Press) KANSAS CITY, June 24.—A general reduction of about ten per cent in lumber prices today was made effective in all retail lumber yards in Kansas City. The reduction ranges from \$5 to \$15 a thousand.

### GOES TO CONVENTION

(By Associated Press) OMAHA, June 24.—Edmond De Valera, president of the Irish republic, spent today here on his way to the democratic convention in San Francisco.

San Francisco Auditorium, Where Democrats Meet



Exterior view of the handsome Exposition Auditorium, San Francisco, where the Democrats will nominate their national ticket.

### SIBERIA UNDER SOVIET RULE

(By Associated Press) IRKUTSK, Central Siberia, June 24.—Soviet rule has been thoroughly established at Irkutsk, and all institutions have been nationalized. Most stores remain closed and a permit is necessary even to purchase news papers. Food conditions are most serious. The population eats black bread which cannot be obtained without a food card. Two hundred and fifty rubles per pound is paid for this bread. An Associated Press representative in reaching Irkutsk made a 2000 mile detour which took six weeks through China and Mongolia and across 700 miles stretch of the Gobi desert. He was the first American to enter Soviet boundaries from the east since the collapse of the Kolchak regime.

### HOLDS THE RECORD FOR PLAYING GAMES

(By Associated Press) BOSTON, June 24.—Everett Scott, the Red Sox short stop holds the record for participation in consecutive ball games. Yesterday he extended to 529 the number he played without interruption. Five playing seasons are included.

### FOLSOM TRUSTEES RUN OFF WITH TRUCK

(By Associated Press) SACRAMENTO, June 24.—Anderson and Van Antwerp, convicts who escaped from Folsom yesterday by knocking out a guard driving away a motor truck on which they were outside as trustees were still missing today. The truck also is missing.

### FAMOUS BULB GROWER DIES AT EUREKA, CAL.

(By Associated Press) EUREKA, Cal., June 24.—Charles Willard Ward, prominent lumberman and bulb grower, died today aged 64 years.

### HAPPY CHILDREN MOTOR OFF TO LONE MOUNTAIN PICNIC

Father Fox aided by a trusty corps of ladies and gentleman assistants managed to marshal 500 boys and girls early this morning into a string of automobiles and motor trucks bound for Lone Mountain where the day was to be spent in the hills. The kiddies began assembling at 7 a. m., so as not to miss the caravan which was to start from St. Patrick's church at 8 o'clock. Everything that could be suggested in the line of eatables was taken along as the good father announced that it would be necessary for his charges to have two full meals on the camping ground.

### HARVARD EXERCISES

CAMBRIDGE, June 24.—Harvard today conferred honorary degrees on General Pershing and Franklin K. Lane. The graduating class numbered 1006.

### NEW NAMES ON THIRD TICKET

(By Associated Press) LOS ANGELES, June 24.—The statement that he believed a ticket composed of Pershing and Governor Alfred Smith of New York would "sweep the country" was made here today by John H. McConney, democratic leader of Kings county, N. Y. "My personal opinion is that General Pershing is the strongest man we could nominate. The republicans are scared stiff because they passed him by."

Asked about Bryan he said "I don't say for him but he belongs in the party and has as much right to talk as any one."

### OMER MARIS IN CRITICAL SHAPE

While there is slight improvement in the condition of Omer Maris the patient remains in a highly critical condition as he has failed to respond to treatment and an area of necrosis can only be reached to some extent. Last evening an x-ray was taken but this was not satisfactory as it was not possible to get a full exposure of the head. The plate showed the top of the head was not fractured although a slight crack was disclosed. It was also learned that one rib was broken and that a clot had gathered near the heart. This may be disseminated as the patient gains in strength.

### ELKS DANCE FRIDAY NIGHT

Tonopah lodge No. 1062, B. P. O. Elks will hold its regular informal dance tomorrow evening with Lichtenberg's orchestra in attendance. The affair is specially designed for shirtwaists and shirtless so that the guests may enjoy a maximum of comfort. The big hall of the Elks is about the coolest place in Tonopah these evenings and the spacious porch overlooking the street is one of the strong attractions. Light refreshments are part of the program.

### FIRE RAGING IN COCONINO FOREST

(By Associated Press) ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., June 24.—Fire was reported today sweeping the Coconino National forest and adjoining state lands near Flagstaff. Forestry crews are fighting.

### TRIALS FOR CYCLISTS

STOCKTON, June 24.—The Pacific Coast Olympia trials for cyclists will be held here Sunday over an 104 mile course.

### ROSE FESTIVAL OPENS TODAY

(By Associated Press) PORTLAND, Ore., June 24.—Portland's annual Rose festival opened today with a procession of more than two miles of rose decorated floats. Vancouver and Victoria, B. C., entered in today's parade. The festival is an international affair. The Pasadena Tournament of Roses also was an outside state party. Entries in this year's festival came from scores of foreign cities and many came from Washington. Some of the floral floats participated were of an industrial character. Over \$500,000 in prize money is awarded. The Rose Festival here year is being held during the worst year of several thousand members of the Pacific States.

### PHILADELPHIA PLAYER DEFEATS BRITISH STAR

(By Associated Press) WIMBLEDON, June 24.—William F. Fildes in Philadelphia defeated 1-7 Parkes British tennis star in straight sets in their matches here in the lawn tennis championship tournament. Scores 6-3, 3-6, 6-2, 6-1.

### GREEKS MAKE WAR ON TURK NATIONALS

(By Associated Press) SMYRNA, Asia Minor, June 24.—The Greek army has begun an offensive against the forces of Mustafa Kemal Pasha the Turkish nationalist leader.

### RAILROAD WAGE BOARD PROMISES TO HURRY

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, June 24.—President Wilson has received a reply from the railroad wage board at Chicago promising to expedite their award in the railroad wage controversy.

### SINKING DIVIDE SHAFT TO 900

Sinking has been resumed on the main shaft of the Tonopah Divide after having been halted by cutting a station at the 800 level. The station is equipped with a bin for taking care of the muck from the shaft which is hoisted from the lower section and dumped in the bin where it is loaded in the skip. It is hoisted to the top when the main hoist is not engaged in lifting ore. The first shot on the 900 foot stretch was put in this afternoon and no stop will be made until the 900 level is reached when the bin, pony hoist and electrical equipment will be dropped to that level. Sinking is going on at the rate of 100 feet per month.

### SACHEMS OF PARTY START TO CONFER ON THE PLATFORM

(By Associated Press) SAN FRANCISCO, June 24.—P. A. Sweeney, in the democratic national convention got into the inevitable round of hurls and scuffles today with the appearance here of one after another of the men who are expected leading parts in the big political drama. In the whispering behind the scenes the question of party policy, toward both the prohibition amendment and the big theme of agitation with prospects for a fight on the convention floor growing stronger. Yet the leaders and delegates also admit support to the amendment of presidential candidates, but that theme remained well in the background.

It was known that Sweeney attracted attention. One Senator Charles McNamara who is generally believed to back Bryan Wilson's drift of the platform. The other was Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, who came direct from the widely expected conference of old line party strategists at French Lick, Indiana. That was true but is silent as a mouse.

Wilson's attitude on prohibition is causing some interest as the Virginia platform when he approved is silent on that topic. A plank has been prepared here by persons high in the party councils which does not mention wines in beer by name but makes a declaration for a "dry" interpretation by Congress of the prohibition amendment. It is expected that a strong effort will be made to throw the influence of the administration behind the movement. Bryan still was missing today, it is not known definitely when he will arrive. Physical preparation of the convention hall, at the hotel, was complete.

### POSTING UP ON MINE STATISTICS

Victor C. Hoopes, statistician of mines for the U. S. Geological survey is spending a few days in Tonopah and vicinity gathering information with special reference to the Silver Peak quadrangle. Mr. Hoopes makes his headquarters in Salt Lake where he is in the center of the great mineral producing states and is in touch with the most important development. The survey he is now preparing a paper on the mining industry of Nevada dating back to the earliest days of the territory. That will include statistical, historical and scientific data which has never been assembled in one volume. The publication will not be ready for distribution until possibly next year or even later as the work is of such a comprehensive character that it involves a vast amount of research work that reaches the department in voluminous form and there has to be digested or boiled down to a size that it will make it an easy book for reference. A similar paper on Utah has just been issued and a limited number of copies ordered printed for distribution. The publications of the survey have fallen behind owing to the pressure of war work which demanded the full facilities of the government printing office but now an effort is being made to overtake the call for papers.

### SUES FOR BALANCE DUE ON PURCHASE

(By Associated Press) LOS ANGELES, June 24.—Henry has just sued John Powers for the short \$25,000 alleged to be due and unpaid for purchase of the Los Angeles ball team three years ago.

### OIL SHARKS IN GRIP OF UNCLE SAM

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, June 24.—Thirty companies, on hydrocarbon leases, had about fifty individuals have been indicted by the federal grand jury charged with using the mails to defraud investors out of millions of dollars. Federal agents throughout the country are now engaged in rounding up the indicted. These are charged with having made gross misrepresentations about oil properties and having paid dividends out of money from sales of stock.

### LONDONDERRY IN STATE OF SIEGE

(By Associated Press) LONDONDERRY, June 24.—British troops were sent here last night, after a week of fighting, to suppress a rising. The town is in a state of siege. The town is in a state of siege. The town is in a state of siege.

### GUATEMALA RECOGNIZED BY UNITED STATES

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, June 24.—The U. S. State department today announced that it had recognized the government of Guatemala which was headed by Dr. Estrada Cabal. The United States it was announced by the state department today.

### WILSON WILL NOT TALK OVER PHONE

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, June 24.—Reports from San Francisco that Wilson would address the convention by telephone was denied today at the White House.

### BUTLER THEATRE

#### —TODAY—

The grim tower of a haunted castle contained the fairest woman he had ever seen. See

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